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HOLIDAY MAIL BREAKS AN ALL TIME RECORD

STAFF PRAISED FOR THE EFFICIENCY OF XMAS MAIL HANDLING

Sierra Madre Post Office has gone through another Christmas lanche of mail. There have been no apparent signs added amount handled, but this season was the heaviest in the. The incoming parcel post was an increase of 57.3% year, the outgoing parcel post was an increase of 77.5% going letters was an of 11%. Many days the letters cancelled were 00.

plete city delivery of parcel post was made by preceding Christmas. Post delivery was on Christmas Day. If dreams did not receive Christmas packages by it was not the fault of local post office as all were delivered by Christmas day. However, after Christmas 107 Parcel Post came in early.

such a tremendous amount of apparent ease and confusion was the of perfect co-operation office staff and Post Eddie Robertson and the planning which last August to take the regular and extra

This year for the one a table for weighing and checking out-going post was placed in the with a competent at to weigh and check. Every window was the public and at no the public required in long lines. An air Christmas spirit filled the (in other words the mailing of packages made a pleasure).

appreciation of the public from every source cere and should be to Postmaster Robertson his efficient staff. Seom the many comments a word from Pappy president of the Lions was remarkable how I was cleaned up. I the postmarks and no delay in this of Lions Club voted the service a vote of thanks efficient service."

te permission to quote letter received by Senator Downey at Washi

ing the season when d conduct a personal not only of ourselves of those whose services a little easier for us, fitting for me to re- what I have already

to say to our Post in Sierra Madre. amazement that in these readjustment, the Post

Building Permits Another Record High

ing permits issued during 1947 total well over a million dollars. \$1,036,153 to be exact, an all time record for Madre. In 1946 the total amounted to \$776,436.

its issued during December amounted to \$87,773 exceeding the \$23,503 of December 1946.

Robert Gross, 37 W. Grandview, \$3500; Jerry Fike O'Hara of Monrovia, dwelling at 523 W. Grandview, \$17,000; E. R. Mitchell, alterations and addition at 119 W. Esperanza, \$800; Richardson, two-car garage, \$700; David Mars, 200 erect dwelling, \$5000; McCarty Bros. E. Montecito, addn to Bldg., \$550; Donald W. Mansfield of Pasadena, dwelling and garage at 542 W. Grandview, \$7400; Bes. Wilson, 685 W. Mariposa, build swimming pool, \$2500; Springer, dwelling, 160 North Mt. Trail, \$6000; J. C. of Arcadia, erect dwelling and garage at 233 East Grove, \$20,000; Gilbert Yorba, erect dwelling and garage, 2 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., \$3000; Geo. Andrews, addition 3 rooms at 553 W. Orange Grove, \$3000; Kenneth 277 Ramona, erect dwelling, \$8000; Dike at 26 E. ad. alter and repair, \$700; Mr. Morris, alter and repair Mariposa, \$1500; Geo. Chambers, 55 N. Linda, repair, E. Lombard of Pasadena, erect two-car garage at mona, \$1000.



Sierra Madre's adorable Pin-Up baby, Claudia Fritz, is here-with invited to represent the advent of a new and better year For You.

Much photographed little Claudia Fritz is the red-haired one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fritz of Sturtevant Drive and has the habit of winning most contests of her age.

38 S. M. Boy Scouts Camp With the Desert Caravan

JOSHUA TREE NATIONAL MONUMENT SITE OF CAMP; RANDALL HENDERSON OF DESERT MAGAZINE FEATURED SPEAKER

Thirty-eight Boy Scouts and leaders from Sierra Madre attended the fourteenth annual Desert Caravan at the Joshua Tree National Monument on December 27th, 28th and 29th.

Over 700 Scouts and Scouting in the Pasadena-San Gabriel Valley District made the annual trek and this year's conclave is considered the most successful.

The party arrived at the rendezvous at the entrance of Hidden Valley at 12:00 noon Saturday and proceeded to make camp.

Plenty of wood and water had been hauled into the area from Palm Springs and Saturday night was spent around a roaring camp fire.

Ranger L. Erenfight spoke to the boys on the history of the National Monument and gave them instruction as to the use of the Park.

Randall Henderson, editor of the "Desert Magazine" was the story teller for the evening.

Sunday morning at 7:30 Episcopal service was held with Father Fritz officiating; Catholic Mass at 8:00 a. m. at Twenty-Nine Palms, and at 9:15 Protestant and Mormon services were held at the camp under the leadership of Scouts and Scouting.

After the services the boys broke up into bands and explored the country surrounding the camp area.

Sunday evening saw another camp fire, with the Council Executives, Lloyd Hall, Chester Ambler and Skipper Robison in charge of the program.

Camp was broken at 10:00

MARINE RETURNS TO SHIP AFTER MONTH AT PARENTS' HOME

Pfc. Ernest Smith of the US Marines returned to the East Friday following a month leave with his parents, Julian and Dorothy LaLone of 651 Woodland Drive. Ernest returns to his ship the USS Huntington, at Newport. The USS Huntington recently returned from the Mediterranean. Ernest encountered the Eastern storm at Washington, D. C. and was held over there.

CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE DEPRIVED BY STEALING

The Sierra Madre Civic Club has turned in the proceeds from the Self-Seller Boxes placed about the city for the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Campaign. The club placed 21 boxes and realized \$35 from this when they were opened. This year is the first time the Self-Seller Boxes have been tried out. The chairman, Mrs. Rizzo assisted by Mrs. Jean Tate felt the response was excellent in view of the fact that most people send their contributions in by mail.

In connection with the Self-Seller Boxes a very regrettable and dastardly thing happened.

The box at the Post Office was stolen, the envelopes and wrappings were found down the street on Baldwin by two girls and turned in to the police. It is understood that the Post Office box received the greatest contribution of any of the boxes.

a. m. Monday with a motor trip around the National Monument and then home.



Sierra Madre's majorettes, Diana and Donna Norris headed the Tournament of Roses Parade. The talented daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of 297 Mariposa appeared with the Official Tournament of Roses Band representing the Western Girl. These musician twins, students at Pasadena City College, have been in a whirl of Tournament activities. Tuesday morning they appeared before the Breakfast Club in Los Angeles and at noon were on the Kick-Off luncheon program.

SATURDAY NIGHT ROBBERY NETTED MONEY AND TIRES

Business Places Entered: No Clues Found To Date

Sierra Madre entertained unwelcome visitors Saturday night when burglars called on some of our local merchants during their absence via back windows and skylights.

At Sam's Shell Service Station, corner of Baldwin and Monte- cito, they turned off the night light, broke a pane of glass, opened a window and departed with \$24 in cash and three new tires.

They secured entrance to the Hartman Drug Store thru the skylight on the roof and de- cended, either by a rope or by climbing down on shelves, but with scarcely any of the articles on the shelves being disturbed.

They were apparently seeking cash as they didn't take cameras or cigarettes or other attractive goods that might have been picked up. They ransacked a roll top desk where two bags of money had been shoved in the back with a smock thrown over them and absconded with \$215 belonging to the Congregational church, being the Sunday collection, which was in charge of L. W. Jenkins, Fin- ancial secretary of the church, and employed in the Hartman store.

At Henry Behmer's Coffee Shop on N. Baldwin the screen at a rear window was taken out, but a heavy refrigerator blocked their way and foiled the at- tempt.

At Rasmussen's Appliance store two screens were removed from the rear windows and entrance made and again nothing was taken. The desk was ransacked but about two dollars in pennies in the cash register were undisturbed. The cash drawer had been left open for the night.

A screen at the rear of the Sierra Madre NEWS office was broken but the culprits evidently considered the heavy glass and barred sections offered too much resistance.

The officers secured some finger prints and believe that the visitors were decidedly not amateurs. They removed a pane of glass and wire from the Hartman skylight and replaced it and pulled some screens out and replaced them so the officer on patrol would not notice anything out of the ordinary. There were evidently two operators at least.

This is the second serious burglary experience in Sierra Madre within a few weeks, the Don Jackson store being entered November 15. It is probable that with the tightening of economic conditions these will not be the last and Sierra Madre may see to it that the police force is increased, at least so that two officers can man the cruising car. One officer can scarcely police the residential and business district, the alleys, try the doors of business places to see that they are locked, etc., and be in all places at the same time.

KIWANIS GROUP ATTEND KICK-OFF BANQUET

Four local Kiwanis members

did not answer to roll call Tues-

day: Dr. Peterson, Eugene Luns-

ford, Knox Hagar and Bill Bod-

ley attended the Pasadena Tour-

nament of Roses Kick-Off Lunche-

on held at the Civic Audi-

torium.

At home the Kiwanis program

was moving pictures "Progress

in Arabia" and "Winter Sports."

Retiring president, Bob Green

made a summary of club com-

mitted activities, drawing atten-

tion to Kiwanis highlights of

the past year; completing con-

struction and turning the Youth

Hut over to the City, the Youth

Fund drive which provides for

youth activities and the spon-

soring of the new Arcadia Ki-

wanis Club.

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.
December 25th	80°	52°
December 26th	80°	50°
December 27th	79°	49°
December 28th	81°	46°
December 29th	72°	44°
December 30th	60°	46°
December 31st	62°	46°

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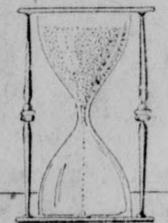
RETURNS TO SCHOOL
AT PORTLAND, OREGON
Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Irvine

and son from Portland, Oregon
are returning tomorrow after
spending the holidays with Mr.
Irvine's mother, Mrs. Bertha Ir-
vine of San Gabriel Court.

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CUB SCOUTS PLAN
OWN CHRISTMAS FUN

The Cub Scouts held their recent Christmas party in the School Cafeteria. The table decorations were all done by the Cubs including candles the Cubs dipped themselves, and painted green boughs tied with red ribbons.

The boys of Den 1, which is headed by Mrs. Walter Draeger, baked over 400 cookies of assorted Christmas shapes which they served. Mrs. Stewart Mater's Den 2 put on a skit, "If I Were The Teacher." Ten Cubs sang carols, and gifts were exchanged by the tree, trimmed wholly by the boys.

MRS. TOMPKINS NEW
HISTORIAN OF S. M.
FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The Community Friendship Club which has chosen the 1948 motto, "The only way to have a friend, is to be one" will meet Monday, January 5th at the Park House, 2:30. Mrs. Robert Bell, well known speaker of the East will give a New Years talk.

It is the aim of the club to bring happiness and friendship to many people in Sierra Madre, especially to those who are new comers or who are alone. The meetings are open to the public and interested folks are urged to attend.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tompkins has been made the historian of the organization.

1948 LICENSE FEES HIGHER



Your 1948 license tabs are going to cost you approximately \$3 more than the amount indicated on your current registration slip, the Automobile Club of Southern California advises. Recent State legislation increased registration fees from \$3 to \$6; provided for payments to the nearest dollar. Minimum fees will be \$7. Motorists are urged to make license renewal applications between Jan. 1 and Feb. 4 to avoid penalties.

WIFE OF LATE DR. SMITH
PASSES AWAY DEC. 20th.

The unexpected passing of Sarah Wilner Smith, December 20, came as a shock to her many friends and relatives. She was the widow of the late Rev. Dr. J. Edward Smith, and lived in Sierra Madre 10 years at 83 E.

Laurel.

She was born May 7, 1882, in Sandusky, Ohio. Her survivors are a niece, Mrs. Bertha MacMillan of Santa Monica, and a cousin in the East.

George E. Burnell officiated at the services held at Grant Chapel last Monday. Interment was at Live Oak Cemetery.

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EVENTS TO COME
DESERT RIDES.

Unique Desert Breakfast Rides, an institution at Palm Springs oasis resort, are held each Saturday with guests of all hotels participating. A cowboy breakfast from the chuck wagon awaits the dudes at the end of a morning ride to various points of beauty in the desert, with participants of all ages on horseback, or in surreys or tally-hos, mingling with ranchers, movie stars and desert personalities. Held each Saturday until June 1.

SKY PREVIEW.

At Griffith Observatory and Planetarium, Griffith Park, the January show will outline the interesting events which will be seen in the sky during 1948. Wednesday through Sunday 8:30 p. m.; Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 3:00 p. m.

DESERT HIKES

Plant life, animal life and geological wonders of the colorful desert and mountain canyons surrounding the Palm Springs oasis resort are viewed in Sunfun Hikes every Saturday until June 1. Naturalists on the staff of the Village's Desert Museum, and visiting authorities, present explanatory talks of the features inspected on the leisurely hikes.

BLOOMING OF ALOES

Aloes, scarlet sisters of the illy family, which burst into tongues of red like burning torches, bloom at this season in the rare desert plant collection of the Huntington Library Botanical Gardens, San Marino. The Aloe, which comes from South Africa, Madagascar and Canary Islands, grows in great colorful clumps.

COLORADO GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Kimball, 73 East Sierra Madre Blvd., have as house guests Mrs. Gertrude Cameron and Dorothy Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Patterson of Greeley, Colorado.

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First Contestants Chosen
For Metropolitan Auditions

When the "Metropolitan Opera Auditions of the Air" returns Sunday, Anne McKnight, soprano, and Robert Bernauer, tenor, will vie for the prize of \$1,000, and a season's contract with the Met. Many older winners are now first line artists of the company. Miss McKnight, 23, started her musical career as a pianist, later turning to singing, and studied at Juilliard. Toscanini chose her to sing *Musetta*, in his concert version of "La Bohème." Bernauer first sang in a church choir, and is currently in the cast of a successful musical comedy.

Maggie Teyte, celebrated

British soprano will be guest so-

loist on the "Telephone Hour" making her first appearance in this country. She sings the aria "Voi Che Sapete" from Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro" and also Tchaikovsky's "Les Larmes" (Tears), and the traditional "Greensleeves," arranged by Vaughan Williams, 76 year old English composer.

Erich Kleiber, celebrated

Tchaikovsky's familiar "Fourth Symphony" as the major work for his concert Saturday. This symphony was written in 1877, a significant year in the life of the Russian composer. In that year he made his unfortunate marriage and also received an annual income from his "beloved friend," Madame Von Meek, to whom the work is dedicated. This income released him from the need to teach and allowed him to devote his full time to composing. Dvorak's "Carnival Overture," and "Wedding Dance" from "The Wild Dove" complete the program.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 1, 1948

(8:00-10:00 PM KFAC) The

Gas Co. Evening Concert features Beethoven's "Symphony No. 3 in E Flat Minor," (Eroica) conducted by Toscanini. William Primrose, Violinist offers William Walton's "Concerto for Viola and Orchestra." Saint-Saëns haunting "Dance Macabre," is also to be heard.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2

(8:00-10:00 PM KFAC) The

weekly concert feature will be a program of new recordings including, "Caliph of Bagdad-Overture" by Boieldieu, with the

(11:30-12:00 PM KFAC) Jam

Melton on the "Harvest of Stars" sings the tenor aria "Il M

Tesora" from Mozart's "Don Giovanni."

(12:00 noon-1:30 PM KFAC) The New York Philharmon combined with the Westminster Choir and soloists; Nadine Connor, soprano; Jarmila Novotna, soprano; and Lorenzo Alvar bass, premiere the music-drama "Jeanne d'Arc au Bûcher" by Arthur Honegger. This will be directed by Charles Munch, distinguished French conductor who was so enthusiastically received on his debut last season

1:30-2:00 PM KFAC) "Metropolitan Opera Auditions of the Air."

(3:00-3:30 PM KFAC) Mezzo-soprano Rose Stevens sings the brilliant aria "Adieu, Forêt" from Tchaikovsky's opera "Jeanne d'Arc."

(8:30-9:30 PM KFAC) Standard Hour presents Pierre Monteux with the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, and guest pianist Vera Franceschi.

MONDAY, JANUARY 5

(8:00-10:00 PM KFAC) Sir Thomas Beecham conducts the beautiful "Romeo and Juliet-Fantasy Overture" by Tchaikovsky. Eileen Joyce, English pianist offers Ireland's "Concerto in E Flat Major."

(9:00-9:30 PM KFAC) Telephone Hour with Maggie Teyte, soprano.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 6

(8:00-10:00 PM KFAC) Joseph Szigeti, violinist in Mozart's "Concerto No. 4 in D Major." Also Bach's "Prelude and Fugue in E Flat Major."

1948
New Year's Greetings
to each and everyone

L. E. JENKINS
District Manager
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Southern California Edison Company

DEATH COMES TO
EARLY PIONEER
IN LOS ANGELES

Mrs. Rachel Odwarker passed away Monday, at the General Hospital in Los Angeles, after a long illness. She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Emma Hropic of Davenport, Iowa, who died here shortly before the occurred, and a son, Lt. B. Odwarker of the Monrovia Police Department. They have two children, Peter, six, who is enrolled in the first grade, and Catherine, three.

Sierra Madre, especially in the Highland-Mountain Trail vicinity, and they are credited with planting the cedar and pine trees found there.

Services will be held Friday at 2 P.M. at the W.B. Temple Mortuary in Monrovia. Interment will be near the late Mr. Odwarker, at the Inglewood Cemetery.

Mr. Odwarker owned much property in

CATSKILL MOUNTAIN
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. James, 110 Rancho Road, in comparing this city to their former home, Irvington-on-Hudson, New York, stated that it was in every respect as charming a town. They noted the similarity of the two towns, in that they both provide country life within quick transportation to the metropolis.

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MASONIC RITES
FOR THE LATE
MARTIN J. BURT

Death came to J. Burt Christmas day at the Huntington Hospital where he had been taken early that morning after a short illness. He and his wife, who survives, have lived in Sierra Madre for several years in their home, 729 West Alegria.

Mr. Burt was born 76 years ago in Indiana, and before moving to Sierra Madre, was a resident of Pasadena. He is a Mason, having made many friends among his Masonic brothers here, and a life member of St. Joseph Valley Lodge No. 4 at Niles, Michigan.

Services were held in Pasadena, Monday morning, with his Masonic friends as pall bearers. John Mead, Harold Roberts and Jack Adams officiating. Interment was at Mountain View Cemetery.



YOUNGEST NATURALIZED CITIZENS . . . There is no age limit involved in becoming an American citizen. Born in Greece, the Misiloglou twins, Urana (left) and Mary, 15 months old, are shown with their mother, Georgia Misiloglou at U.S. supreme court in Chicago. They became America's youngest naturalized citizens. Their father, Theodore, will join them here when he is released from the Greek army.

ALA ACTIVITIES

RICHARDSON RITES
AT GRANT CHAPEL
DECEMBER 23rd

Friends and family were saddened to hear of the passing of Lucy Naomi Richardson, December 19, in her home at 339 Camillo St. Born in Norfolk, Nebraska, 1869, she was a pioneer nurse there, and graduate of the Nebraska Methodist Hospital, Omaha, where she nursed for over 35 years.

She came to Sierra Madre 10 years ago, and was a member of Bethany Church. Her brothers, Capt. Ansel Edward O'Banion, of this city, and Clarence O'Banion of Igloo, S.D., and sisters Mrs. Hoyt Van Buren of San Francisco, and Mrs. Walter Pate of Hot Springs, S.D., survive her.

Services were held December 23 at Grant Chapel, with Rev. Clarence Nida officiating. Interment was made in the Sierra Madre Cemetery.

CHRISTMAS IN
NORWEGIAN STYLE

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Olsen, 37 Suffolk, entertained at a dinner party, Christmas Eve which featured all Norwegian dishes. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Olsen and son David of San Marino, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson and daughter Lois, of Pasadena. The following day the family gathered at the home of William Olsen, for the tree and dinner.

WITH FRIENDS FOR
CHRISTMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Barkman, 40 South Michillinda, were entertained at a Christmas Eve supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Albin Burke, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ashworth of Pasadena.

The following day they went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Hupp in San Gabriel, where they were joined by Mrs. Barkman's aunt, Mrs. Carl Kramer who is out here from Moline, Illinois, during the holiday season.

LE GUIN HOME OPENED
TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Mrs. J. E. Leguin, 169 West Montecito, entertained her daughter, Mrs. Jack Stratton and two children, of Alhambra, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Summerville of El Sereno, and Mrs. Esther Field of Los Angeles, for dinner Christmas day. Her son, Tech Sgt. Clifford D. Leguin, home on 20-day furlough from McCornack Hospital in Pasadena was also present.

MARINERS FETED AT
FAIRVIEW HOME; MR.
HARRIS AS CHEF

Twenty-five guests gathered around the huge white Christmas tree at the Carl Tolle home Friday evening for the annual American Legion Auxiliary Yuletide party. Christmas carols were sung and games and the exchange of gifts enjoyed and at a late hour a delicious buffet supper was served. Christmas messages were read from absent members. Bertha Irvine, Dorothy Shelter and Grace Caukin, the latter's contribution "The Family" has just been accepted by the Woman's Home Companion and will appear in the February issue, we understand under the feature "Companionably Yours."

Co-hostess with Mrs. Tolle was her sister, Lucille Noilac. Out of town guests were Mrs. Lovett Pratt of Tucson, Arizona, and Mrs. Marie Whitney of San Francisco. The next meeting of the Unit will be held January 8th at the home of Frances Brain, West Highland Ave. with Bertha Sammis as hostess.

M. L. MORSE
REMODELS
RESIDENCE

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morse bought the lot with the two houses recently, at 306 Mariposa from Joseph Morrissey. At present they are adding a living room and bedroom to one house.

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WILL HEAR ABOUT

GREEK MISSIONS

NEXT TUESDAY

The story of Congregational Missions in Greece will be the topic of the morning session of the Women's Society of the Congregational Church at 11 o'clock in the Ladies' Parlor next Tuesday, January 6th. Mrs. Geo. Morgridge will sketch the development of the mission to the present time. Miss Marjorie Adams will give the political history of the country as a background for the missionary talk.

January 1, 1948.

SIERRA MADRE NEWS—5

Goodbye to the old year . . .

Joyous Welcome to 1948.

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in
Sierra Madre

KANSAS CITY
STUDENTS HERE

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GUESTS RETURN TO
HOT SPRINGS, N. M.

Holiday house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Davidson, 530 West Sierra Madre Blvd., are Mrs. R. L. Beck, and daughter Mrs. N. K. Oldham, of Hot Springs, New Mexico. They will return to their home this week end.

If you drink—don't drive.

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January 1, 1948.

SPECIAL ZONING IS SOUGHT IN UPPER HASTINGS RANCH

At a recent meeting of the County Regional Planning Commission which discussed the zoning of the 2000-acre area between Pasadena and Sierra Madre, Harold Pauley, brother of Ed Pauley, both of whom are partners in the Hastings Ranch development, asked that the 600 acres in the Upper Hastings Ranch either not be included in the zoning plan or that the acreage be placed in unlimited agricultural zones. Pauley was joined by his partner, John R. Murphy, in asking that the Upper Hastings ranch acreage not be placed at this time in a residential zone.

However the members of the North Kinneloa Ranch Property Owners' Association in a resolution came out flatly in favor of an estate zone for their portion of the zoning area. They asked that the lots be zoned at 40,000 square feet for each dwelling.

Action in zoning the 6.6 so miles of land in Northeast Pasadena was urgent, it was stated, owing to the prospective trailer camps coming into the area.

Ross M. Lockhart, representing the Kinneloa Ranch interests, 2069 Villa Heights Roads, urged the planners to go slow. He said three types of property are involved, namely: canyon, mesa and uninhabitable mountain land. Each would require particular study.

SECOND HEARING DEC. 31.

It was announced that the second hearing, December 31, will not necessarily be final. A field inspection of the region will be made and a third meeting may be held if thought necessary.

Mr. Osborn, owner of a paving plant and rock crusher, admitted his property was industrial. The Commission expected to make a special study as to the continued use of the Osborn plant as well as that of Atwood and Purcell in Eaton Wash.

Some of the property under study already is owned by the city of Pasadena and the county of Los Angeles for regional park purposes while other acreage will be acquired for parks in the future.

SHARES BIRTHDAY HONORS WITH UNCLE

Sharon Ann Gillette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Gillette, 10 Rancho Road, celebrated her sixth birthday, Sunday with a party given by her parents. Celebrating with her was her uncle, Glen Gillette, of Monterey Park. Among the guests at the afternoon buffet dinner, were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Yokum, of Altadena, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Gartung and children, Clifford and Gladys, of Wilmar, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gillette, and Earl, Robert and Richard Gillette, and Elaine Yokum, of Monterey Park.

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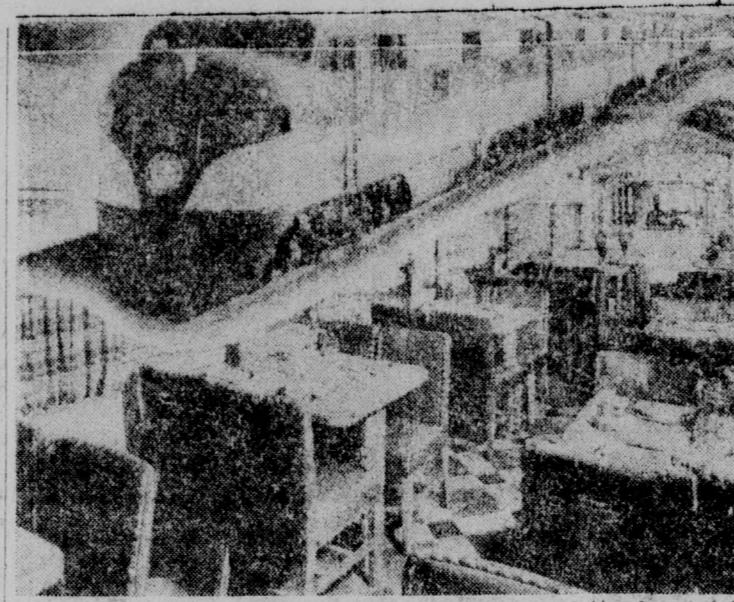
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One of the outstanding features of Southern Pacific's "New Golden State," their new 45-hours-to-Chicago super-streamliner, is the "Fiesta" car (pictured above), designed especially for coach passengers, the last word in luxury. The brilliant coloring of Mexico, found in serapes, chilipiquins, pottery, palios and native craftsmanship set the decor of this car. The bar at one end is taken from an ancient fountain in a quaint old patio, reproduced in adobe with inset Mexican tile, forming the front. The insert is of the "New Golden State," motivated by the most modern of diesel equipment.

POLICE BLOTTER

A El Monte boy stopped in to report that when he paid a court visit to his girl friend in Ontario, he was much surprised to come from her house to find his car gone from its harbor at the curb. He told us just in case such a car might appear here to be on the lookout for it. . . . A motor-cycle rider from Los Angeles met with an accident while riding along Santa Anita Drive, a short distance above the Ranger Station. He was slightly injured, not seriously. . . . A fire in the brush area, even tho' within an incinerator, was too much for our fire-conscious people. Folks from the lower regions could see it and made haste in getting it to the ears of those who take care of such. . . . Dead dog. Evidently hit by a car. Left to die. . . . Stray dog. . . . Fire call. . . . A small water pipe broke and almost flooded Mrs. D. Young of Orange Grove Avenue. She had plenty of wet wash. . . . A mischievous boy was read the "right" act by Fred Lewis. The boy and his mother agreed that future trouble will be avoided.

A lad left home and was soon to be held by the L. A. Police Dept. . . . A wallet containing a \$100 bill was lost. Didja ever have one of that size? . . . A kitty that had been missing from home for two days was finally heard crying by his (or her) owner, a small boy, as it sat uncomfortably perched atop a telephone pole at the edge of the cemetery along Sierra Madre Blvd. The cops were called and the cops called on the street department. Fred Ebell, who is the expert of the street and water department at climbing trees and poles, donned his padded leggings, stirrups, boots, ropes, sack and to the rescue ventured. The swaying of the pole scared neither the kitty or Fred. It was necessary for the top to be reached but Fred soon had the kitty in a gunny sack and the descent was made. A happy boy met man and kitty at the foot of the pole.

Stray pups. . . . Auto backings from post office met another that was going south. . . . A R.N. (registered nurse) was happy to find her lost purse at the Police Station. . . . Fire call! Cat hit by car. Died. . . . Dog ran over by car. . . . Dog hit by motor-cycle. . . . A hurry call for a doctor. . . . Complaints of too much smoke. . . . Found dog. . . . Fire call. Smoke in Dr. Groth's office. . . . Gerald Davis, age 9, reported to the cops the loss of his toy racing car.

Lost purse. . . . When a lady driver was stopped by one of the officers, she was asked to make the boulevard STOP more complete. Reasons were explained. A very amiable lady she was. She told a story of an incident in another State. When a colored boy met the Judge, he was asked if he stopped at the intersection. The boy said, "Well, Judge, I made a California STOP, I changed gears." "Well," answered the Judge. That California STOP will just cost you five dollars." . . . A nightworker is annoyed by the cat belonging to folks who work all day and lock the cat in the back porch. Its darn hard to get matters adjusted to suit all of us. . . . A lot of unhappiness at the Happy Family. . . . Loud and boisterous, including obnoxious language is the cause for the arrest of two locals. . . . Another burglary reported. . . . In an attempt to turn around on the narrow road above Trail Inn, a youth found himself and

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In a bower of Christmas greens augmented by tall baskets of white chrysanthemums and gladioli, and candelabras with white candles, Doris Colt Bryant exchanged vows with Rudolph Roldin Hartman, Jr., Saturday afternoon at the Episcopal Church of the Ascension, with Rev. Harley G. Smith, Jr. officiating.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Colt, 595 Elm, was very fashionable in an Alice Blue off-the-shoulder ballerina gown, and ballet shoes of the same shade. She wore a halo of pink carnations and carried a fan of the same flower.

Carol McManigal, of Pasadena, her maid-of-honor, wore a similar style taffeta gown and shoes of fuchsia, with a halo and fan of blue delphiniums.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph R. Hartman, 460 North Lima, chose his brother, Robert, as best man. Ushers were Charles Shippey, William Murphy, William Fletcher, and Louis Johnston. Organist was Mrs. Elizabeth Farrow.

The mothers of the young couple wore dinner length gowns. Mrs. Colt in pale rose, with a hat of big pale roses, carried miniature pink roses. Mrs. Hartman selected gray, with violet gloves and a hat and corsage of violets.

The ceremony was followed by a reception for 250 guests in the Parish House.

The bride is a graduate of South Pasadena High School, and attended Pasadena City College and Pomona College. The groom is an alumnus of Pasadena City College, and spent four years as a captain in the Marine Air Corps. He is now at U. S. C. studying for a degree in Commerce, and is a member of SAE Fraternity.

Following a honeymoon in Palm Springs, the couple will be at home at 480 North Lima, in their recently completed ranch-style house.



MRS. RUDOLPH HARTMAN, JR.

**SOCIAL EVENTS AT
THE ROY KLINKER HOME**

Mrs. Roy D. Klinker, 65 East Mira Monte held a Milboard party recently, beginning with a luncheon at Eaton's. This group of ladies are officers representing organizations of Beta Sigma Phi, a cultural sorority for business women.

Following the lunch, they withdrew to Mrs. Klinker's home where they had a Christmas tree and an exchange of gifts. Mr. Klinker's father, Mr. Charles Klinker; Mrs. Klinker's father, Mr. John A. Zepf, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Klinker, all of Huntington Park, gathered at the Roy Klinker home for a family Christmas celebration.

WEAR HAS ITS LIMITS

Differential wear, manifest in the growling noise from the rear, does not seem to make much difference to certain car owners, states the Service Department of National Automobile Club. It should, for when this unit has become worn the gears do not mesh properly and are susceptible to rapid and complete breakage. When the break occurs the situation is about the most unpleasant in which a car owner can find himself and the expense of the repair often is doubled.

Although orchids are usually considered rare, the orchid family is one of the most numerous groups of flowering plants. About 140 species of orchids are found north of Mexico, with some extending to Alaska and even Greenland. North American members of the orchid family include the lady's-slipper, moccasin-flower, rose-pogonia, shin plaster and showy orchids.

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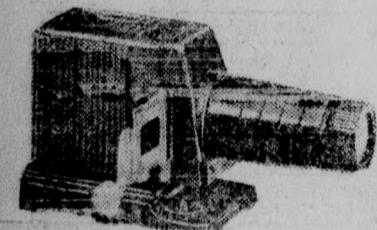
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An unusually interesting program arranged for the Missionary Society of Bethany Church will be given Tuesday January 6 at 10:30 A. M.

The installation of officers for 1948 will be held in connection with business meeting followed by the 11 A. M. speaker. At 12 o'clock a pot luck luncheon will be enjoyed by devotionals at 1:20. Dr. O. Vansteenbergh for many years a resident of Brussels, Belgium, and General Director of Belgian Gospel Mission and its various ramifications who will arrive in this country Friday, will bring a message of unusual interest. His wife will accompany him as a guest of the Bethany ladies.

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It is reminded that we MUST be fire conscious. We urge people to learn all they can about what is the best method to fight the many classes of fire. Different fires call for different "treatment". One of the best and safest way to fight fire is to battle it before it ever gets started. Avoid it by eliminating all things that will offer fire an opportunity. Keep the FIRES OUT.

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TO THE ALPHA ETERA
DINNER FRIDAY**

The Alpha Etera group of the Bethany church held a formal Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moote, 689 West Sierra Madre Blvd. Two tables, set for 35, were arranged with poinsettias and red candles.

A program included the Scoville sisters, Marileen and Marjorie, with Esther Santee, violinist. Rev. Nida gave a short message.

SLOW DOWN TO BE SAFE

"Don't cut back to the main road surface sharply after running off on the road shoulder," advises Bert Stewart, Jr., Public Safety Director for National Automobile Club. "It is the in-

stinctive thing to do but the wheel striking the road edge at a good speed is likely to twist the steering wheel out of the driver's hands. Pull back on the steering wheel only after slowing down."

The Arctic tern probably enjoys longer hours of daylight than any other creature, living under the midnight sun in both northern and southern hemispheres. This bird flies 11,000 miles between its northern and southern homes, a trek believed to be the longest migration route of any bird. It nests in the north and spends the northern winter near the shores of the Antarctic continent.

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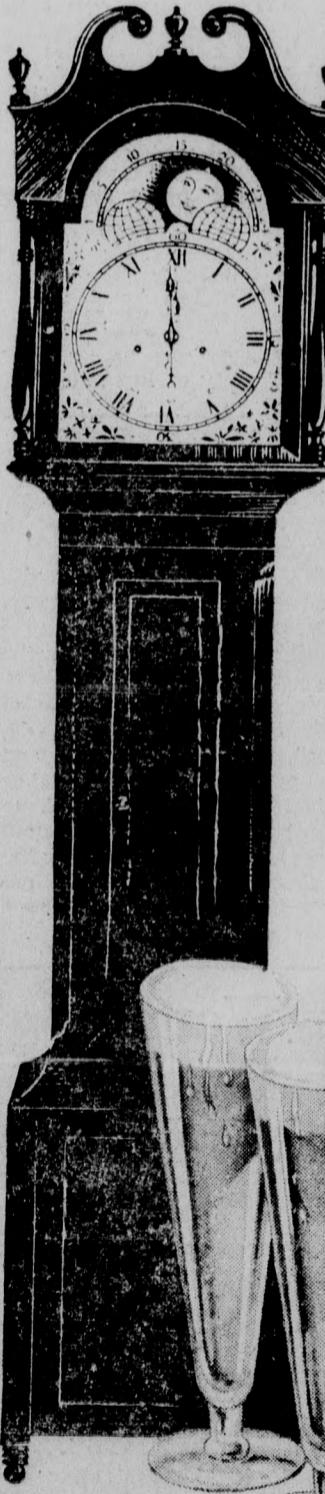


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Editorial

Sierra Madre, like every other city, great or small, is experiencing conditions. Economic problems have to be met in a new way home in the city. Valuations have been turned topsy-turvy. tension is tightening. The mentally unstable become panicky, lack the background to adjust and turn to primitive getting a living. Youth is reaping the effects of loose conditions and feels no restraint in caprice of malicious be-

ople of Sierra Madre should not shut their eyes to a problem. An amply manned police force is the best investment we can make. We are proud of our present police officers but their number should be augmented in proportion to the increase of population and increase in crime conditions. For service, policemen in most localities are not asked to patrol alone. One officer can not watch six ways at once when he meets up with a gang? cent robberies in the city may be considered a barometer. It is in the air. Sierra Madre may be picked on as a soft target. The word may be passed or that a one-car police town is cracking.

DO YOU RECALL

JANUARY 1, 1927
had as guest on Tuesday, Harry E. Flanagan of San Francisco, an old friend of North Dakota days.

At 5:30 Christmas morning Miss Laura Cadmus, accompanied by Mrs. Nettie J. Forrest at the piano, sang a group of Christmas carols. Windows and doors were thrown open in an effort to spread glad tidings to the many residents. Despite the high wind, the carols carried for some distance up and down the canyon.

Contract for the paving of Auburn, Carter, Hermosa and Elm, has been awarded to H. M. Cole, who submitted the low bid of \$16,178.67.

Mrs. C. L. T. Herbert

HOME SCENE
HOLIDAY EVENTS

of Mr. and Mrs. Gerke, 602 Mariposa, the scene of many gatherings throughout the Sixteen guests enjoyed breakfast, including Mrs. Emma Sherburne Wayne, Indiana, Mr. Chet Wymen and Barbara, Robert and Van Nuyts, Miss Emma of Los Angeles. Mr. Richard Gerke of Monrovia, Gerke, home for the holidays, Lynn and Ruth Gerke, present.

One friend of Dick Charles Reeb, of Sacramento, house guest until the holidays. relatives will gather home for supper, the parade, Mrs. Spitz, mother of Mrs. as well enough to spend time with her daughter, on Bridge, of North

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ELLA S. BUSH RECEIVES FIRST HAND OBSERVATION ON PALESTINE SITUATION FROM COUSIN LIVING IN JERUSALEM

Direct word from Jerusalem has been received by Miss Ella S. Bush from her cousin, Mrs. Katharine Gray Donald. Mrs. Donald's comment and observation will be eagerly read. She is the widow of Col. Gray Donald, an engineer in the British Army which entered Palestine under Gen. Allenby.

The letter written November 20th and received December 12th reads:

If the British pull out of Palestine I do not know what will become of all the nice things like libraries, not to speak of hospitals and Social Service. The WMCA of course will carry on, but all the educational schemes will come to an end except in the Jewish part where it will be all Hebrew. We do not know yet what will actually happen, but I am afraid the outlook is far from bright. . . . We really are in a most disturbed time in Palestine, but this unrest has lasted ever since 1936, so we feel that any solution will be better than the long uncertainty. As a woman and a Christian I am heartbroken that we are to withdraw from Palestine, but as a British subject I am glad. Why should we bear the burden any longer, when we are only hated for it, and cursed and misunderstood? Why do we bear our fair share of feeding "displaced persons" in Europe and still have to feed any amount of refugees and our people at home go on shorter and shorter rations? We have tried and found the Mandate unworkable. Let some one else make it work!

We are very anxious naturally about the boundaries, not to speak of our dislike in having this tiny country partitioned at all. . . . We imagine Jerusalem will be an International Zone with a governor and council, so possibly we can make something of this. It should be one of the most beautiful cities in the world. We have allowed it to be spoiled, but perhaps the New Administration will do something to remedy this.

BECOMES MEMBER OF BROKERAGE FIRM

W. Murray Hawkins, 610 Auburn, who for many years has been affiliated with the firm of Young and Koenig, Investment Brokers, has had his name added to the firm name, changing it to Koenig, Hawkins and Kimball, Incorporated.

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Auld Lang Syne

as we bid farewell to the old year we just want to say to each of you

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BURTON W. ANDREWS

TAKEN BY DEATH

DECEMBER 27th

Burton W. Andrews died at his home in Highland Park (Los Angeles) Saturday, December 27. He came to Sierra Madre with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Andrews, in 1881 and lived at the home at 692 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, until his marriage in 1905 to Loretta Holmes Pease, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holmes, who built and lived in the house now located at 65 S. Baldwin Avenue. They later moved to Los Angeles. He was born in Hartford, Connecticut, August 2, 1878 and survived his wife a little less than three months. He is survived by one brother, Raymond D. Andrews, of this city. Funeral services were held in Alhambra and interment was at Forest Lawn.

JEROME THILL HOME FROM HOSPITAL FOR XMAS

Jerome Thill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter P. Thill, 59 East Grandview, was home from Sawtelle Hospital, from Christmas Eve, until Sunday. Yule dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lippman and children of Altadena.

Job printing properly and promptly done at the Sierra Madre NEWS.

MICHIGAN PICNIC

The Michigan picnic will open the state picnic season January 10th at Sycamore Grove Park for an all-day affair. Dr. Carey H. Conley, Alumnus of Michigan University, author and educator will speak.

NEW YEAR'S WITH MOTHER

Mrs. N. C. Raymundo and daughter, Mary, of Santa Maria came last Saturday for the New Year's week with her mother. Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Graeme C. Smith and children, Bobby, Penny and Shirley, of Vista and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Poundstone, and Donny and Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cheesman and sons, Dale and Donald of Glendale, and Louise McPhie.

OFFICERS OF MAPHA CLUB INSTALLED

The Mapha club met at the home of Dorothy Boisot in Pasadena for an informal installation of the new officers and a Christmas party. President, Marion Potter; treasurer, Mary Ann Hagen; recording secretary, Irene Poole and corresponding secretary, Lucy Vane.

The new officers were presented with corsages. Refreshments and an exchange of gifts followed.

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JORDAN WEIN HOME AGAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Wein, returned from a three month stay at the Davenport Hotel in Spokane, Washington. While there they visited Mrs. Wein's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Charles Chunn, Jr., formerly of this city.

EASTERN STAR STATED MEETING

There will be a stated meeting of the Eastern Star, January 5, at 8 P. M. in the Ma-

sonic Temple. At this time they will honor all new officers, altar aides, and hostesses for 1945.

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FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT HOME OF DAUGHTER

CHURCH LADIES SEND CANDY TO FRENCH KIDDIES

When Mrs. Lee Shippey told the Women's Auxiliary of Ascension Church how the children of France would lack candy for Christmas this year, the seed fell on fertile ground. Immediately three gracious members got busy and in no time 22

pounds of candy were on the way to France. It was sent to Madam Griot, Perigueux, France. The packages bore the Sierra Madre names of Mrs. Alice Sedgman, Mrs. H. B. Gill and Mrs. Davis.

A letter from Madam Griot written December 17 expresses the gratitude of all: "Yesterday a magnificent parcel of candies arrived from that little Paradise which is Sierra

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AROUND THE TOWN

◆ Mrs. F. B. Hollister of North Lima has been taken to St. Luke Hospital where she is critically ill.

◆ Miss Bessie Boyd, a recent arrival in the city is spending the holidays with friends in Tujunga.

◆ Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dumas, Jr., 12 North Baldwin, spent part of the holidays with relatives in Madera, California.

◆ A four-week visit to Seattle, the former home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnston, ended last week when they returned to their home, 674 West Monte-cito.

◆ Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith, 11 North Mountain Trail, spent several days at the home of their son, Captain George Smith, of Stockton.

◆ Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horner, 196 East Sierra Madre Blvd., entertained their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur S. Doten, and children David and June, of Van Nuys, Christmas Eve. Other recent guests were Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Speer of Long Beach. Dr. Speer has been practicing dentistry in that city for 50 years.

◆ Guy Smith of Washington, D. C., visited his mother, Mrs. Matilda Smith, 122 North Baldwin, last week.

◆ Mrs. Esther Westover, East Sierra Madre Blvd., returned to her home, after a lengthy visit with relatives in Nebraska.

◆ Mr. and Mrs. James M. Scoville, 272 West Grandview, and daughters Marileen and Marjorie, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wammock, of Simi, Christmas day.

◆ Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Skinner returned to their home in El Centro after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ross T. Hickcox, 546 Sturtevant. Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Robertson of the same address spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Frost of El Centro.

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